



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76067

Gianluca BOLLITO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/624,608

Group Art Unit: 1745

Confirmation No.: 7606

Examiner: Cynthia K. LEE

Filed: July 23, 2003

For: A DIRECT-ALCOHOL FUEL-CELL AND CORRESPONDING METHOD OF
FABRICATION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of May 11, 2006 to September 11, 2006.

A check for the statutory fee of \$120.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen R. Valancius
Registration No. 57,574

SUGHRUE MION, PLLC
Telephone: (202) 293-7060
Facsimile: (202) 293-7860

WASHINGTON OFFICE

23373

CUSTOMER NUMBER

09/12/2006 SDENB0B1 00000109 10624608

01 FC:1251

120.00 OP

Date: September 11, 2006